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OF THE

Town of Williamsburg,

FOR THE

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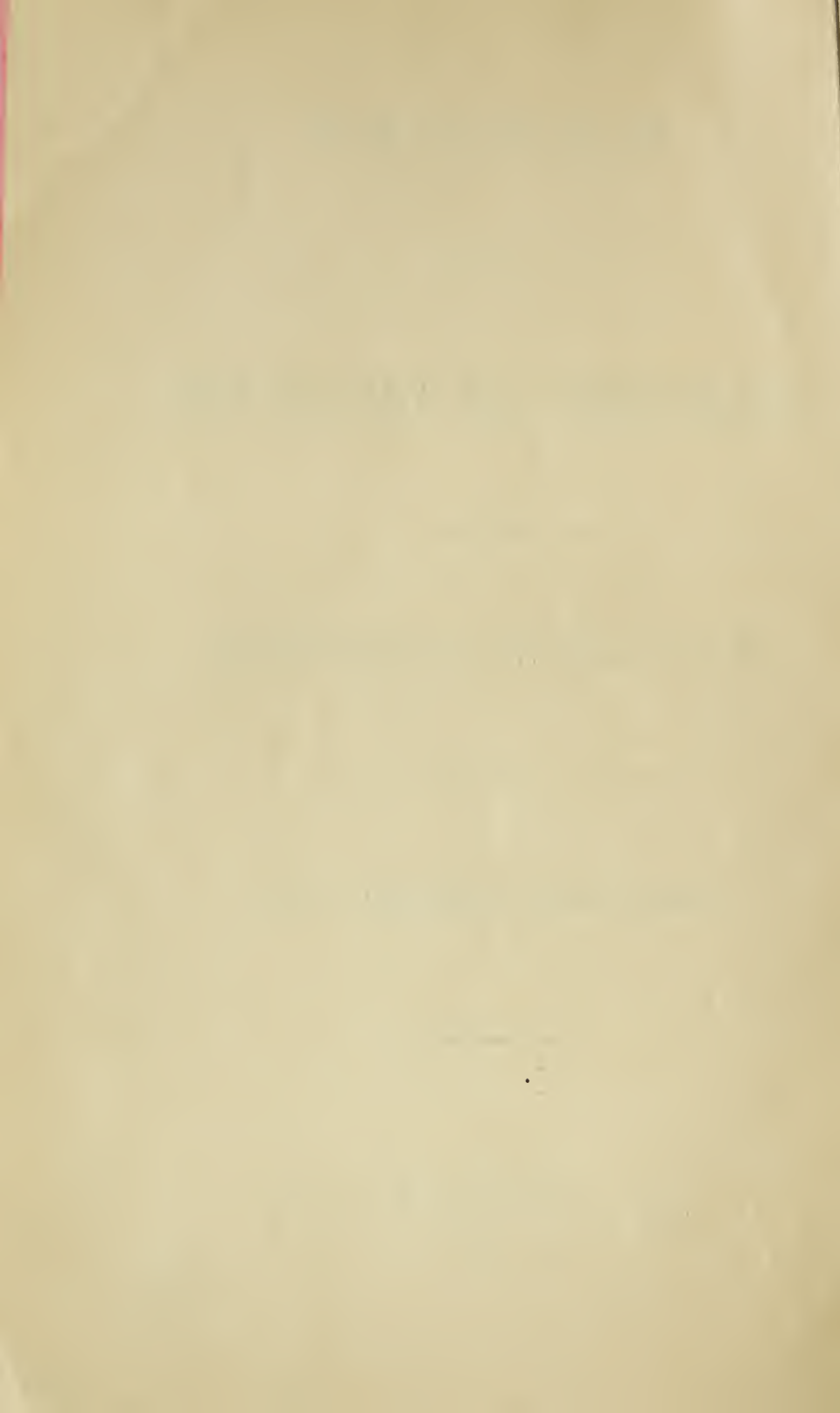
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Selectmen's Report.

TREASURY RECEIPTS.

Remainder in Treasury, Feb. 1, 1887,	\$ 138 49
“ on Collector's book, 1885-6,	433 81
Amount on Collector's book, current year,	11,060 32
Income of Collins School Fund,	930 78
“ “ State School Fund,	228 98
“ “ Dog Fund,	233 99
“ “ Bank Tax,	1,130 48
“ “ Corporation Tax,	212 39
For State Aid to Dec, 1,	350 88
“ old iron,	3 00
“ plank sold,	1 78
“ Auctioneers' and Druggists' Licenses,	5 00
“ Rent of Town Hall,	30 00
“ Dividend N. H. & N. R. R.,	138 00
Trustees of Whiting Street Fund,	240 00
Borrowed of Haydenville Savings Bank,	700 00
“ “ Nellie E. Hillman Estate,	213 43
“ “ Lucy E. Pendleton,	300 00
“ “ Smith Charities,	10,000 00
	————— \$26,351 33

PAYMENTS.

State Tax,	\$1,170 00
County Tax,	1,298 29
Greenfield Bank Tax,	45 65
Almoners of Whiting Street Fund,	240 00

Memorial Committee,	\$ 50 00
State Aid,	350 00
Military Aid,	248 00
Interest on \$25,000 town debt to Jan. 1,	1,250 00
Interest on Temporary and Strang Loans,	237 77
Schools,	4,003 00
Indebtedness of town, 2 notes \$5,000 each,	10,000
	————— \$18,892 71

WATER TANK AND EXPENSES, AT HAYDENVILLE.

Hayden Mfg. Co., for lead pipe,	\$169 14
Henry W. Sampson, labor and material,	4 75
John Phinney, for labor,	6 75
Clarence Loomis, “	5 50
Wilson Dewey, “ and expenses,	35 49
Peter Shea, “	19 60
Dennis Larkin, “	16 10
James Ryan, “	19 60
Michael Corbett,	17 50
Esbon Sharp,	12 25
D. Trombly,	17 85
C. Balomoux,	5 25
H. Balomoux,	10 85
Henry Hebert,	9 10
Daniel McDonnell,	1 00
Thos. B. Larkin,	17 85
Geo. H. Ames,	2 00
John O’Neil,	1 75
	————— \$372 33

Appropriated \$300.

STREET LIGHTS.

Henry M. Porter,	\$184 67
Frank M. Holmes,	232 79
	————— \$417 46

Appropriated \$400.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Bill hose,	\$179 52	
“ repairs,	27 26	
	<hr/>	\$206 78
Appropriated \$200,		

ORDINARY REPAIRS—HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Lewis A. Alexander,	\$111 61	
Levi B. Nash, for earth,	1 80	
	<hr/>	\$113 41
A. P. Miller,	\$56 00	
C. Truhart,	14 00	
Phil McGowan,	10 50	
Thos. Culver,	8 75	
B. Daily,	15 75	
	<hr/>	\$105 00
Francis Loomis,	\$21 34	
Clarence Loomis,	15 60	
Charles H. Warner,	11 60	
Sanford Packard,	4 00	
John Phinney,	4 00	
William Crow,	6 42	
John Mack, Jr.,	5 10	
Dennis Larkin,	1 75	
Francis Pollard,	5 10	
Henry Loomis,	6 12	
John Grace,	3 79	
Henry A. Bisbee,	8 43	
Myron Ames,	1 75	
Joseph Lawrence,	1 75	
Stringers for bridge,	6 47	
Nails,	6 50	
Hayden Mfg. Co.,	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$111 22
Dorus B. Bradford,	\$29 58	
J. C. Mellen,	8 05	
Austin S. Wait,	16 78	
Henry W. Warner,	3 50	
	<hr/>	\$57 91

Franklin Clapp,	\$48 54	\$48 54
Smith Phillips,	\$40 35	\$40 35
Robert P. Loud,	\$49 43	
Farnsworth & Nichols,	12 45	
	————	\$61 88
Geo. W. Lawley,	\$23 20	
Walter B. Lawley,	2 00	
H. D. Hill,	1 50	
M. W. Hill,	13 75	
Geo. Luce,	90	
C. Q. Ford,	90	
W. E. Pillinger,	4 00	
Jerome O. Hill,	15 91	
F. Shumway,	14 66	
C. D. Farnsworth,	12 93	
Clarence Nichols,	12 93	
	————	\$102 68
Charles E. Tileston,	\$54 98	
W. Drake,	1 50	
Joshua Crosby,	2 87	
G. M. Bradford, labor and material,	91 63	
Geo. Loomis,	12 25	
Charles Cheeney,	7 50	
Charles E. Baggs,	19 75	
J. B. Rogers,	1 75	
C. L. Hyde,	12 25	
D. C. Wade,	1 75	
E. A. Porter,	2 56	
	————	\$208 79
John W. Belcher,	\$43 63	
Joseph Thompson,	1 58	
William O'Brine,	8 75	
Henry Hebert,	1 75	
Alonzo Angell,	2 17	
Lewis Cole,	3 32	
H. L. Graves,	5 75	
C. D. Graves,	1 75	
Chas. R. Damon,	2 80	

Geo. L. Damon,	\$1 75	
Henry S. Warner,	3 67	
G. M. Bradford, lumber,	5 46	
Fred L. Guilford,	3 20	
Christopher Truhart,	25 81	
John Wright,	6 13	
	<hr/>	\$117 52

SUNDRY BILLS.

Farnsworth & Nichols, breaking roads,	\$2 10	
John O'Neil,	13 40	
L. C. Graves,	3 00	
Joseph S. Graves,	5 45	
W. W. Nash,	1 92	
C. K. Merritt,	12 95	
J. B. Rogers,	1 50	
Hiram Graves,	1 50	
H. C. Nash,	2 00	
E. H. Clarey,	1 50	
Geo. Cheeney,	1 50	
John C. Miller,	1 20	
E. P. Hemingway,	2 75	
Robert Damon,	1 50	
Thos. Culver & Ingram,	4 95	
Moving Cahill bridge,	6 52	
	<hr/>	\$63 74
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		\$1,031 04

Appropriated \$1,000.

SPECIAL WORK AND MATERIAL FOR HIGHWAYS
AND BRIDGES AND RIVER WALLS.

Charles E. Tileston,	\$114 68
G. M. Bradford,	122 31
Geo. Loomis,	76 99
William O'Brine,	8 75
Thomas Ryan,	21 35
Thos. W. Meekins,	28 00

C. A. Nichols,	\$11 37
D. C. Wade,	1 75
H. A. Bisbee,	3 77
I. F. Baker,	3 75
Joseph B. Rogers,	36 75
C. L. Hyde,	12 25
F. E. Hyde,	18 02
Thos. Culver,	24 35
E. J. House,	21 00
John E. Coogan,	7 00
H. S. Leonard,	12 93
James Welsh,	14 00
Willis Guilford,	56 50
Geo. W. Lawley,	60 50
Wm. E. Pillinger,	9 62
E. P. Hemingway,	10 50
Jerome O. Hill,	5 25
A. P. Miller,	50 49
“ “	19 00
Henry Hebert,	13 12
C. Truhart,	14 87
Thos. Culver,	2 50
Francis Loomis,	34 34
Clinton Tower,	26 80
Loomis & Son,	26 80
Henry Wait,	31 60
John Phinney,	8 80
Sanford Packard,	10 00
John Mack,	18 45
Frank Walpole.	30 20
Clarence Loomis,	14 00
Dennis Larkin,	22 02
Peter Shea,	15 65
Esbon Sharp,	16 78
T. Larkin,	14 77
Wilson Dewey,	7 87
Oakly W. Ames,	10 84
Thos. Hefferen,	17 74
Thos. Vaughn,	16 87
Michael Corbett,	13 37

Timothy Mehan,	\$2 27
Thos. Mullaley,	1 75
Henry L. Graves & Son,	56 98
Lemuel C. Graves,	77 29
John O'Neil,	59 13
James Welsh,	18 63
Thos. Ryan,	13 38
Oliver Munson,	17 05
Wm. O'Brine,	3 50
C. D. Graves,	7 00
A. P. Miller,	16 00
Geo. L. Damon,	9 88
Clarence Nichols,	9 88
Phil McGowan,	9 88
E. D. Kingsley,	17 22
B. S. Johnson, agent,	5 00
Thos. Welsh,	6 38
Thos. Ryan,	2 75
Henry Hebert,	3 50
Chas. D. Farnsworth,	26 60
	<hr/> \$1,479 34

SUPPORT OF THE POOR.

Mrs. C. A. Williams, deceased,	\$127 30
Albert Lachore, “	91 92
Truman M. Carlton, to Feb. 1,	125 95
James M. Nichols, to Feb. 1,	102 25
Ellen M. Williams, to Jan. 1,	187 16
Johnnie Williams, to Feb. 1,	66 50
Mrs. John O'Brine, to Feb. 1,	74 00
Mrs. Michael Fenton and family, to Feb. 1,	180 00
Mrs. Catherine Ellsworth and family, to Feb. 1,	84 00
Mrs. Helen L. Witherell and family, to Feb. 1,	86 00
Mrs. Margaret Moakler, to Feb. 1,	24 00
Walter Strang, to Feb. 1,	120 00
Phineas Morton, to Feb. 1,	112 85
Abner Hemingway, to Feb. 1,	45 55
Dennis Larkin, to Feb. 1,	35 00

Edward Ryan and family, to Feb. 1,	\$28 25	
Joseph Upton, to Oct. 1,	25 00	
Caroline and Thos. Wait, to Feb. 1,	25 72	
James Rogers, in full,	10 00	
David Pittsinger, to May 1, 1887,	17 64	
Mrs. Wm. Mahar, to Feb. 1,	84 00	
Tramps,	4 00	
		<hr/> \$1,657 09
Appropriated \$1,500		

CONTINGENT.

Storage of Road Machine, three years,	\$7 00
Stone Dogs for derrick,	4 00
Coal for Town House,	13 00
One-half expense of running line and setting line stone between Williamsburg and Whately,	10 25
Insurance on Haydenville school house,	43 75
“ “ Strang House,	4 00
Rope for derrick,	14 08
Gazette Printing Co., for printing, 1886-7,	50 25
Chas. R. Damon, for bridge plank, 1887,	143 37
Almon Warner, “ “ “	44 22
Geo. A. Thresher, “ “ 1888,	97 36
Samuel A. Clark, “ “ “	92 25
Registers' services, 1886-7,	23 00
H. A. Bisbee, for care of hearse,	34 50
J. H. O'Brine, bill blacksmithing, 1885-6,	5 60
Herbert Russ, “ “	20 85
“ “ services as constable,	15 45
J. H. Laws, repairs on Lockup,	1 00
Byron Loomis, abatement,	4 60
E. F. Miller, “	4 31
Smith Charities, “ 1885-6,	2 25
L. W. Merritt, “	3 45
Wm. Forsyth, “	36
G. M. Bradford, “	2 30
Widow Dennis O'Brine, abatement,	10 49

Clark I. Hill, services as School Committee,	68	50
Henry W. Hill, " " "	30	00
Chas. S. Wheeler, " "	61	50
Sundry abatement poll taxes,	52	00
Wm. E. Thayer, for bill nails, etc.,	6	12
S. K. Wait, " "	2	84
L. D. James, " "	5	28
Oil and glass for town house,	3	98
Express, postage and stationery,	8	75
Making and recording Deed, Smith Charities,	3	00
Recording deed of Spring,	60	
Legal counsel,	3	00
T. M. Carter, recording births, marriages and deaths,	32	30
T. M. Carter, expenses to Hadley,	2	50
" " services as Clerk and Treas'r,	75	00
Services of Selectmen,	300	00
" " Tax Collector,	125	00
Dewey Williams, care of town house,	11	00
— —		\$1,443 06

LIST OF JURORS FOR 1888.

Jacob Hills, James Scully, Wilson Dewey, James Mullaley, Wm. A. Hawkes, Wilmot A. Clark, Wilbur M. Purrington, Byron Loomis, Henry W. Sampson, James H. O'Brine, Lester W. Carr, Christopher Noble, Gilbert M. Bradford, James D. Murphy, Alfred A. Nichols, John G. Miller, Lawrence Morrissey, Herbert Russ, Charles D. Farnsworth, James Hulme, Alanson Nash, Hiram G. Hill, Francis S. Warner, Henry W. Graves, Frank C. Richards, Charles H. Warner, George W. Lawley, Henry E. Wright.

Respectfully submitted,

T. M. CARTER,	} <i>Selectmen</i>
JOHN O'NEIL,	
WILSON DEWEY,	
	<i>of</i>
	<i>Williamsburg</i>

The Committee of the Whiting Street Fund submit the following statement of their work for the year ending January 31, 1888. Received \$240 from the Town Treasurer, which has been expended by us as follows :

Mr. Gideon Jorden,	\$7 00
“ Thomas Wade,	8 00
“ Charles Marks,	10 00
“ George Damon,	5 00
Mrs. Dennis Fogarty,	5 00
“ Sally Baggs,	8 00
“ John Williams,	8 00
“ Charles Graves,	10 00
“ Lewis Black.	7 00
“ William Guilford,	10 00
“ H. W. Smith,	7 00
“ Isabella Johnson,	7 00
“ Michael O’Neil,	6 00
“ Curtis,	7 00
“ Emily Ludden,	5 00
Miss Lucy Russ,	5 00
“ Addie Alvord,	5 00
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Grace,	10 00
“ “ Lyman Ames,	10 00
Mrs. Margaret Coogan,	10 00
“ Ellen Landergan,	10 00
“ Mary Lawler,	10 00
“ Mary Malloy,	10 00
“ Mary Blanchfield,	10 00
“ William Connley,	10 00
“ Edward Coogan,	8 00
“ O. G. Boss,	8 00
“ Patrick Butler,	8 00
“ M. H. Erskine,	8 00
“ Frank Dunlavey,	8 00

Respectfully submitted,

ABNER DAMON,	} Committee.
MRS. H. L. GRAVES,	
THOS. T. MOAKLER,	

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Total Receipts,	\$26,351 33	Paid State Tax,	\$1,170 00
		County Tax,	1,298 29
		Greenfield Bank Tax,	45 65
		Almoners W. Street Fund,	240 00
		Memorial Committee,	50 00
		State Aid,	350 00
		Military Aid,	248 00
		Int. on Town Debt,	1,250 00
		Int. on Temporary and	
		Strang Loans,	237 77
		Schools,	4,003 00
		Town Debt,	10,000 00
		Water Tank at Hayden-	
		ville,	372 33
		Street Lights,	417 46
		Fire Department,	206 78
		Ordinary repairs of H.	
		W. and B.,	1,031 04
		Specific repairs of H.	
		W. and B.,	1,479 34
		Support of Poor,	1,657 09
		Contingencies,	1,443 06
		Remainder,	851 52
	\$26,351 33		\$26,351 33

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Remainder in Treasury,	\$851 52	Notes due Jan. 1, 1893,	\$15,000 00
Due for State Aid, Dec. 1,	350 00	Note to Smith Charities,	10,000 00
“ Military Aid, Dec. 1,	124 00	Note to Haydenville S. Bank,	700 00
276 R. R. Stock,	17,940 00	Note to Nellie E. Hillman Est,	213 43
Balance,	9,544 33	Note to Lucy E. Pendleton,	300 00
		Due Collins School Fund,	755 67
		Outstanding Claims of Schools,	990 75
		Other Claims Outstanding,	1,850 00
	\$29,809 85		\$29,809 85

The assets of the Collins School Fund are the same as last year,
and are as follows, namely :

21 Shares of Stock in First National Bank of Greenfield.
 28 “ “ “ First National Bank of Northampton.
 31 “ “ “ Northampton Nat'l Bank of Northampt'n.
 21 “ “ “ Hampshire Co. Nat'l Bank of N'hamp't'n.
 20 “ “ “ Mechanics National Bank of Worcester.
 755 $\frac{67}{100}$ dollars due from the Town of Williamsburg.

Respectfully submitted,

T. M. CARTER, *Treasurer.*

The undersigned hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer, of the Town of Williamsburg, find them correctly stated and vouched for, and that there is in the hands of the Treasurer, eight hundred fifty-one and fifty-two one-hundredths dollars.

O. G. SPELLMAN, } *Auditors.*
C. W. FAY, }

WILLIAMSBURG, Feb. 22, 1888.

